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MEMORANDUM	FOR	THE	ASSISTANT	DIRECTOR,	R	å	E
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Subject:

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Reference: Memorandum from the Asst. Dir., R. & E., to the Exec. Dir., C.I.G., 24 April 1947

1. Since 25X1A early March the Intelligence Staff has sought the in grade P-6 to serve as principal appointment of assistant to the Chief of the Current Division. Action was delayed by some six weeks of administrative discussion regarding the requested grade and the availability of a position. These problems were eventually solved, however, and a formal Personnel Action Request was submitted. The chronology of its handling is as follows:

> 24 April - forwarded from O.R.E. to Personnel Division, P & A

30 April - forwarded from Personnel Division to Security Division, P & A

- forwarded from Security Division to 12 May

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2. On or about 12 May colonia pointed out the y of this appointment to the Acting Executive Director (Col. and the Acting Executive for P & A optained their assurances that the appointment would be completed by about 15 June. Inquiry on 18 June, however, elicits only a hopeful opinion that the action might possibly be completed by 30 June, more particular information being refused.

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t in the preparation of the C.I.G. Daily and Weekly 25X1A Summaries. That the key has had to be hospitalized is in no small measure a consequence of this overload. His absence necessarily aggravates the strained personnel situation in the Intelligence Staff and renders the early appointment of all the more urgently necessary.

4. I request that you bring this case to the attention of the Executive Director and request that he obtain the immediate action on it required by the circumstances.

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cc Chief, Exec. Staff, ORE Chief, Current Div., IS Chief, Intelligence Staff, ORE

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